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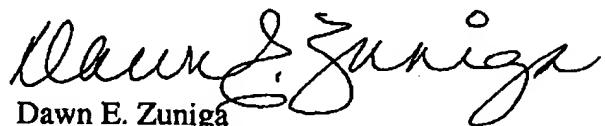
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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number **08/482,402** filed on **06/07/95**, entitled **DISEASE ASSOCIATED HUMAN AUTOANTIBODIES SPECIFIC FOR HUMAN THYROID PEROXIDASE**

1. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on Filing date under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
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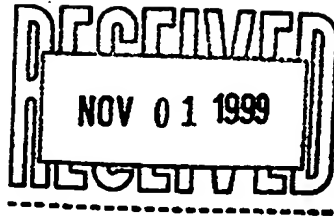
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